THE WEEKLY GLEANER.

VOLUME III. SAN FRANCISCO, WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 28, 5619. (1859.) NUMBER 34.

The Weekly Gleaner,

A PERIODICAL DEVOTED TO RELIGION, EDUCATION, BIBLICAL AND JEWISH ANTIQUITIES, LITERATURE AND GENERAL NEWS.

JULIUS HOFMAN.
EDITOR AND PUBLISHER.

OFFICE 133 CLAY STREET.

TERMS.

One Year—Payable in Advance.....$5 00
Copies, for one Year,..... 8 00
Six Months..... 3 00
Three Months..... 1 50
the Eastern States, Utah and Europe..... 3 00
Copies..... 12½c

ADVERTISEMENTS Inserted on the Most Reasonable Terms.

All communications to be addressed "EDITOR OF GLEANER."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. NEUSTADTER, HENRY NEUSTADTER.

NEWSTADTER BROS.,
IMPORTERS OF
GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS,
HOSIERY, FANCY GOODS,
YANKEE NOTIONS, CUTLERY, PERFUMERY,
ETC., ETC.
AGENTS FOR
Samuel Hart's Playing Cards.
AGENTS FOR
Hendrich Hourman & Co.'s
LOOKING GLASSES, GILT FRAMES
AND MOULDINGS.
Battery Street, Corner of Sacramento,
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
OFFICE IN NEW YORK:
Number 72 William Street, up stairs.

JOSEPH ISAAC,
(LATE ADOLPH BRIEGER,)
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Stationery,
No. 131 Sansome street,
BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND MERCHANT STS.,
SAN FRANCISCO.
Blank Books, Playing Cards, Labels of every description, all at the lowest market prices.
Particular attention paid to all orders from the Country

PAPER WAREHOUSE.
No. 132 Sansome street.

Geo. A. Van Bokkelen
IMPORTING STATIONER
....and....
Sole Agent for the Pacific Coast for Carew &co. Illustrated Note, Letter, Commercial, Packet, Post and Wrapping Writing Papers, Hollingworth's Manilla, and Manning & Howlan's Straw Papers.
—Also—
Carter's & Whitney's Patent air-tight Inkstands, Arnold's Illustrated Inks and Fluids, Walden's Original British Gum Powder, and Dowse's Patent Vellum tracing Cloth
Particular attention given to Country Orders.
jy29

JOSEPH SIMPSON,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Clay st., Office No. 8, up stairs,
2tf San Francisco.

RASCHE AND SONS,
Dealers in Pianos, Sheet Music, Strings Instruments, &c.,
No. 210 Sansome street, San Francisco.je10-tf

NOTICE.
From, and after this date, Mr. Stepbacher is our authorized agent for the "Israelite" and the "Deborah."
August 26th, 1859 Bloch & Co.

Awkward Men of Mind.

Great power of mind, and great elegance of manners, are nearly incompatible. It is difficult for a man of genius to be an adept in the graces of the drawing-room. Powerful minds have an originality and intractability about them, which render it extremely difficult for them to fall into that ease and conventional politeness, which constitute the finished gentleman. The politeness of a man of genius is more that of nature than of art.

The Greatest Insult.

The following remarks are very pertinent, and were, no doubt, penned by some one who was suffering from the consequences of the practice he so pithily reprobates.

"What greater insult can one man give to another, than to disappoint him in the payment of borrowed money? We know a case. A friend of ours borrowed a few hundred dollars of a brother merchant till a certain day, on which he had a payment to make at one of the banks.

The day came—it was twelve o'clock, and the borrower said he would hand it in by one o'clock. One o'clock went by, and found the borrower promising it before the bank closed: but three o'clock found the bank closed, the note protested, and—swearing terrible oaths, that he would never loan another dollar."

Civilization.

All nations that have reached the highest point of civilization, may from that hour assume for their motto *videri quam esse*. And whenever and wherever we see ostentation substituted for happiness, profession for friendship, formality for religion, pedantry for learning, buffoonry for wit, artifice for nature, and hypocrisy for every thing; these are the signs of the times which "he that runs may read," and which will enable the philosopher to date the commencement of national decay, from the consummation of national refinement.—*Colton.*

DUELLING.

Our cotemporaries, of the press, secular and religious, very correctly inveighed against the madness and folly of duelling. We did not even notice the disgraceful act on both sides; as duelling, like drunkedness, is not the taste of our people. The Jew has too much common sense to wish to establish honor by murder. And if there is a code of honor still in operation in some countries, he is a coward who has not the courage to disregard the feudal law of some other time and country, and obey the laws of his own country and those of morality.

What would our readers say were we to treat them with a few columns selected from the scriptures? Doubtless in some quarter, even in our day, extracts from the Bible would be "new indeed."

The ancient Romans had a law kept inviolate, htat no man should make a public feast, except that he had sent food to the poor in his neighborhood.—*Masonic Mirror.*

He who is inclined to good, is noble, enough his mother were an Ethiopian.

Life and Death.

Dorchen was a good and much loved maiden. All who knew her, loved her; but more than any, her brother Edmund, a little boy; and she loved him also with equal affection. Suddenly Dorchen fell sick, and Edmund was sore grieved on account of her sufferings. But it came not into his thoughts that she might die: for he never had seen a dead body, and knew not what *death* and to *die* ment.

As Dorchen lay in sore pain upon her little pallet, Edmund thought how he might please her much And he went into the field to gather flowers: for he knew she loved the flowers.

But while he was absent little Dorchen died, and they laid her out in her white grave clothes.

Then came Edmund to the little chamber where she lay, and held out the flowers towards her; but the maiden spoke not to him. And he said: "See, Dorchen what I bring thee!" But she heard him not. Then Edmund drew nearer, and looked upon the maiden, and said: "She sleeps. I will lay the flowers upon her breast where she will find them when she awakes. Then will she say, 'This hath Edmund given.'"

So spake he softly and smilingly.—Then he went to his mother and said: "I have gathered flowers for Dorchen, such as she most loves. And she sleeps. Therefore I have laid them upon her breast, where she will find them when she awakes."

The mother wept and said: Yes, she sleeps; but she will never wake more."

Then said Edmund; "When she sleeps, why then will she not awake?"

So spake the child. And his mother could not answer him; but covered her head and concealed her tears.

Then the boy wondered much and said: "Mother, why weepest thou!"

Newspapers in Olden Times

When newspapers were first established, they were quite destitute of advertisements, and nothing was more common than for papers to be issued with a blank page. The first newspaper printed in America had only three pages of reading matter, as there was not foreign or domestic news enough to fill out all the columns;

In England, after a while, a new method was adopted to fill up the space not required for the current news, by publishing selections from the holy scriptures, and many an old newspaper is now extant with a whole page copied from the Bible

Chapters from the New Testament were placed at the head of the column, and the space below was filled out with a psalm of the required length. In the period when this, to us, novel proceeding was resorted to, to fill out the paper, the Bible was not so common or so cheap as at present.—*Masonic Mirror.*

If one train of thinking be more desirable than another, it is that which regards the phenomena of nature with a constant reference to the Supreme, intelligent Author. To have this the ruling, the habitual sentiment of our minds, is to have laid the foundation of everything that is religious. The world, from thenceforth, becomes a temple, and life itself one continued act of adoration.

PREJUDICE.—We seldom find persons whom we acknowledge to be possessed of good sense, except those who agree with us in opinion.—*La Rochefoucault.*

Hebrew Officers.

To the number of 140 Hebrew officers ni the French army, to whom we referred lately, we have to add, from "Les Archives Israelites," the folowing:

Colonels.	1
Lieutenant Colonels	1
Captains.	16
Lieutenants.	10
Sous Lieutenants.	18
Gardes.	11
Med. aide major 1st class.	1
Aid-majors.	4
Officer d'adm. compt 2d class	1
Adjudant 1st class.	1
Interpreters.	16

STAFF OFFICERS.

Samuel (Abraham Aug), aide de camp of General Sousman.

Levy Baruch, sous intendant at Paris

Seligman Luis id.

Raphael id. at Epinal.

Levis (Ab.) at Cette.

Spire. Adjudant of the first class to Bar-le-Duck.

Bloch (Eugene Louis) officer d'administration.

Jewish Liberality.

Monsieur Albert Cohen, being called up to the *Sepher*, offered in his own name and a in the names of a few of his friends, the handsome sum of 60,000 francs towards the expense of removing the Rabbincal school from Metz to Paris.

A few years ago, when repairs of the Temple of Paris were necessary, a few liberal men, not millionaires raised 150,000 frcs.—*Arch. Isra.*

Charity Begins at Home.

"Charity begins at Home." There is no sentence so much abused as this. It is the favorite apothegm of the hard-hearted and penurious, who employ it as an excuse for their want of generosity, and as a cloak for their selfishness.

Prejudice and Conceit.

Men are often warned against old prejudices: I would rather warn them against old conceits. The novelty of an opinion, on most moral subjects, is a presumption against it. Generally speaking, it is only the half-thinker, who in matters concerning the feelings and ancestral opinions of men, stumbles on new conclusions. The true philosopher searches out something else; the propriety of the feeling, the wisdom of the opinion, the deep and living roots of whatever is fair and enduring.

For on such points, our first and third thoughts will be apt to coincide.

Education.

Knowledge does not comprise all that is contained in the large term of *education*. The feelings are to be disciplined, the passions are to be restrained; true and worthy motives are to be inspired; a profound religious feeling is to be instilled, and pure morality inculcated under all circumstances. All this is comprised in education.—*Webster.*

Much wisdom is needed in order to call actions by their right names.

JEWISH NEWS.

SEMINARY FOR TEACHERS.—The congregation of Berlin is about opening, October next, an institute for educating Hebrew teachers.

In 1829, it was a seminary for rabbis that was opened: they had plenty managers, teachers, and pupils, ranging from 24 to 14 years of age (we were the youngest); but, as with many Jewish Institutes, there was something wanting everywhere. Dr. Saalschuetz, now of Koenigsberg, was then the director; he was succeeded by Mr. Baruch Auerbach.

This embroy Rabinical seminary was afterwards transformed into a seminary for teachers, under the management of Zunz. This was another mistake, our people little know that the extraordinary literary knowledge of Zunz has nothing at all to do with the requirement of branches neccessary for training teachers.—We now hear that this seminary is to be resumed by Mr. Hurwitz, and, if we are not mistaken, it must again prove a failure.

FRANCE.—Mr. Levy of Strasburg, of whom we made mention last week, is the first French Hebrew who commanded a corps on the battle-field.—[Archives Israelites.

THE funeral of Commander Wogue took place at Fontainebleau, July 26; the family reclaimed the body. A great concourse of people, as also all the city authorities attended. As may be expected, the deceased was buried with military honors.—[Archives Is.

ALGIERS.—As elsewhere, the Israelites of Algiers made a voluntary contribution for the wounded and the families of those who had fallen in the Italian expedition. The Prefect of Algiers accepted the money, and thanked the donors for having taken the initiative.—[Arch. Is.

GENEVA. (SWITZERLAND).—It is comparitively a few years since that there lived but few Hebrews at Geneva. Since 1846 they commenced increasing considerably. There are at present in that city sixty Jewish households, and the number increases continually. They are mostly French. The government is favorable to their settlements, which favor goes so far, that it gave them the necessary ground for a Synagogue, in a magnificent part of the city, in the center of all public buildings. In return, the Hebrews brought great sacrifices to raise a splendid temple, gave a call to Mr. Wertheimer as their rabbi, who immediately established a school for daily religious instruction, and devotes all his efforts to the organization of a congregation.

The synagogue was consecrated the 1st of July last, in the presence of the city authorities and the representatives of the clergy.—The inaugural by R. Wertheimer gave great atisfaction.

INTERESTING INCIDENT.—A letter from a Zouave in Les Ar. ls., dated Cremona, June 6, reads as follows:

"I must tell you a droll story, I was about to throw myself upon the enemy, when suddenly the Austrian exclaimed: *Shemah Israel!* (Hear O, Israel, etc.) At this exclamation I kept back my weapon, and could not help throwing myself into his arms; feeling happy that I had not killed him. I left him the choice either to return to his country, by running new risks, or to remain prisoner; he chose the latter.

Another Zouave found a תהלים in the knapsack of an Austrian who had fallen in battle. A sad reflection presents itself here: the Frenchman fought for his country; for whom is the Austrian obliged to fight?

ANGER.—To be angry about trifles is mean rnd childish; to rage and be furious is brutish; and to maintain perpetua wrath is akin to the practice and tempel of devils; but to prevent and suppresr rising resentment is wise aud glorious, is manly and divine.—*Watts's Doctrine of the Passions.*

Our Honor and Solidarit.y

We quote the following interesting communication from a correspondence to "*Les Arch. Isra.*" from Casal, Sardinia:

SIR,

"This was well done; they are the brave men whom their co-religionists love to acknowledge. It is a satisfaction to see that these officers glory in their religion; here is a proof: One of the French Hebrew officers was quartered at Casal, at the house of the marquis of J——, who, living in the Jewish quarter, the officer went to pay him a visit, and asked him, whether he was a Jew. "Thank God! I am not." replied the marquis—"But I, I am one, thank God," replied the officer."

Learning and arms lead equally to glory. For Israelites, the glory of one is the glory of all. There still exists among us that mutual solidarity which existed in our evil days.—

Indeed wherever there was a Jew of great merit, there his co-religionists were less hated; gradually they ceased to be despised; and people at last learned that we are worth as much as other men. The French Israelites have had, and still have men who distinguish themselves in the sciences, in literature, and in the arts; they have evinced a sincere love for their country; and they were loved and esteemed in return. The list of officers which you gave is important in many respects.

The Piedmontese Israelites who are free since but twelve years, have also made considerable progress; and their reward was not less satisfactory. Our army has a great number of Israelites, of whom many are officers.—Among the Italian youths that enlisted under the flag of the glorious Victor Emanuel, are many co-religionists belonging to families who are in very easy circumstances.

They have left their hearths and went to fight for the liberty of their country. I shall confine myself to the mentioning, that at the military academy of Ivrea there are seven cadets (three from Milano, one from Ivrea, one from Cassal, and another whose home I do not know), who will be nominated officers in a few days, and of whom some, I think have, been nominated already.

I would also inform you that Mr. Vitali sergeant, has received at the battle of Palestro the military medal, and that Mons. Leon. Rovigo, lieutenant among the staff who was officer already in 1848, has been seriously wounded at the battle of Saint Martin. Several sergeants and Hebrew soldiers fell or were wounded on the battle-field. We hope that the *Educatore israelita* will seriously occupy itself with the publication of their bravery. To do this is the more useful, since there still exist in Italy, as you well know, places where strong prejudices are entertained against us. When these facts will be known, they will not dare to think our co-religionist cowardly and servile. They will learn tha the Hebrew soldier knows that he fights not only for his country but also for his religion; that they themselves fight against these monstrous prejudices; that they will redouble their efforts, to contribute towards the victory."

THE PENTATEUCH CONFIRMED.—A work has recently been published in London by an accomplished Egyptian scholar, who, in examining Egyptian records, has found traces of a history parallel to that written by Moses. He finds James mentioned five times, Moses twice, and Balak, son of Zippar, at a place called Auzoth: of a people whom Moses was leader marched towards Palestine by the way of Migdol and Zoar; that they were connected with the names of Midia Aram; that there was a contest at a place of a water-flood; that a royal or noble youth meets a sudden and mysterious death, and that a royal order is immediately issued for the hasty departure of a people for their feast of "passing the dead;" and that miracles are named as being performed by their leader in Lower Egypt.—*N. Y. Christian Advocate.*

מנין על ראש השנה ויום כפור וסכות

A MINYAN

Will be held during the days of
סליחות
And the whole of the
ימים נוראים and סכות,
....AT....

Apollo Hall

PACIFIC STREET, NEAR STOCKTON ST.

Every effort will be made for the accommodation of

Ladies and Gentlemen

For which the spacious Hall is excellently located, as also the assistance of superior
בעלי תפלות
—o—*are engaged*—o—

To defray the expenses, seats will be rented as is general in places of worship.

FOR GENTLEMEN $2,00
" LADIES 1,00

Any surplus accruing from the rent of seats, will (as was done by a similar Minyan last year) be applied for benevolent purposes.

For Tickets apply to Mr. Harris, Chairman of the Minyan.

130 Montgomery St.

מניין של ראשהשנה ויום כפור

DIVINE SERVICE

....FOR....

THE HOLIDAYS

—o—AT—o—

MUSICAL HALL,

The spacious locality with superior ventilation, renders the locality highly convenient fotr he long attendance on the Holidays.

Tickets for the admittance of Ladies and Gentlemen, may be had at my residence, 303 Powel Street, between Jackson and Pacific Strs. and on the days drevious to the Holidays, at Musical Hall, from 9 A. M. ELIAS WOOLF.

למודי העברי

Hebrew and English Elementary Institute.

SUBSCRIBER, a graduate of the far-famed Theological University (Rabbiner Schule) of Warsaw, respectfully announces to the Jewish community that he has established himself *Permanently*, in this city, for the purpose of elevating the so much desired studies of religion of our youth.

He has opened a *Hebrew English day-School*, for both sexes, in which, the best talented teachers will be employed—and the *Hebrew Language* and all other branches connected with the Mosiac faith, as also the German and English Languages, in all their various branches, will be taught.

I have established myself in a pleasant and central location, No. 238 Clay street, near Stockton, where I shall be happy to receive and carefully instruct all children entrusted to my care. Parents and Guardians may rest assured that the greatest attention will always be paid to the *retigious* and *moral* instruction of the pupils, combined with their mental improvement.

From my experience in Teaching and Managing a school, as well as my sincere desire to *promote* the proper education of the *Jewish youth*, I confidently hope to deserve and *receive* a liberal and generous patronage.

Private Lessons, to suit the convenience of learners.

Parents will please apply early.

TERMS, MODERATE.

San Francisco, Ellul 5619, A. M., Sept. 17.

REV. SAMUEL LASKI.
Principal.

מוהל

THE undersigned well-known as a skillful and experienced Mohel for many years, offers his services to his brethern in faith in this city, Gratis, whenever required.

REV. SAMUEL LASK,
238 Clay st., near Stockton.

HALL'S SARSAPARILLA, YELLOW Dock and Iodide of Potass is prepared from the finest Old Jamaica Sarsaparilla and English Iodide of Potass—admirable as a Restorative and Purifier of the Blood. I cleanses the system of all morbid and impure matter—removes boils and eruptions from the skin—cures rheumatism and pains of all kinds. All who can afford should use it, as it tends to give strength and prolong life. Sold by Druggists generally at $1 00 per Bottle.

R. HALL & CO., Proprietors,
Wholesale Druggists,
143 and 145 Clay street,
sept16 3mos San Francisco.

ספר תורה

ANY MINYAN OR SOCIETY which want the Loan of a SEPHER, may adress office "Gleaner", San Francisco,

---

ספרים

R. JACOBSOHN,
Corner of Post and Stockton Streets.
SAN FRANCISCO.
Dealer in new
חומשים מחזורים, הגדות, סליחות, מגלות, קינות, ספר החיים, שופרות, ספרי תורה, תפלות, תפלין זיקון לליל שבועות והוי"ר
Silk and Woolen ציצית and טליתות, מזוזות

ספרים

M. STEPBACHER.
Broadway St. 2 doors above the Synagogue.
Dealer in new.
תפלות מחזורים סליחות תפילין ציצית ומזוזות
ספרי תורה
For Sale and on Loan
Silk and Woolen טלתות and שערות

Chebrath Bikur Cholim Ukdosha.

This society will hold its regular meeting at the Hall of the Sons of Temperance, on Washington street, between Montgomery and Sansome, every second Sunday in each month, at 7 o'clock P. M. precisely.

S. HARRIS, President.
f5–tf SIMON CRANER, Secretary

NOTICE.

MR. H. BORIES, for several years resident of Sacramento City, and known as an expert Mohel, respectfully recommends himself in that capacity to his co-religionists in this city and the country. Early attendance and moderate charges may be relied upon.

Address, H. Bories, Corner Hand, 16th st., Sacramento.
For refererence I beg to refer to Messrs. Greenebaum & Newbauer Segar Store, corner of I and 3d. streets.
jy 8:tf

מוהל
—in—
SACRAMENTO CITY.

The undersigned would respectfully announce to the Israelites in this city, and especially in the country, that he is fully qualified and competent as a practical מוהל and is ready to attend any call, at any time, here or elsewhere.

As to his abilty, he would beg to refer to his numerous friends in this city, as also to those who have honored already wit their confidence, and particularly to the oldest מוהל in the State, to Mr. M. Heymon of this city.

Z. Newstadt.

Address: Z. Newstadt, care of Korn's Hotel, J street, Saramento.

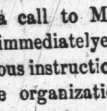
BUTCHERS, &c.

כשר

כשר

WASHINGTON MARKET 59 and
L. MILLER & CO.
BEEF, MUTTON AND VEAL
American Beef.
ORDERS to any part of the City and Country, forwarded with the greatest promptness.
ORDERS for FRESH VEGETABLES and FISH taken and forwarded to any part of the City according order.

כשר



D. WOLF & Co.
Second-street, between Minnie and Mission.
Has always on hand a large and excellent assortment
BEEF, MUTTON AND VEAL
Of a quality that canno fail to recommend them to those who have heretofore honored him with their confidence.
Keeps constantly on hand,—
Home-Cured Smoked and Salt Beef,
Tongues, and Sausages, of all kinds.
N. B. Orders to any part of the city attended to with promptness.

כשר

DANIEL HARRIS,
Winchester Market
Kearny-street, between Pine and Bush,
..No. 88...
All kinds of MEATS—Fresh, Home Cured, Smoked, Salt Beef, Tongues, Sausages, &c.
Also—VEGETABLES in their season.
N. B Orders to any part of the City FREELY attended with promptness.
Mr. JACOBSOHN is the SHOCHET.

כשר

KOSHER MEAT
SOLOMON GANS & C
(SUCCESSOR TO YALE ABRAHAM.)
Jackson Street, between Kearny and Dupont
In the Old Pennsylvanian Engine House
SAN FRANCISCO.
ALL kinds of Meats—Fresh, Home-Cured, Smoked and Salt Beef, Tongues, Sausages, &c.; also, VEGETABLES in their season.
N. B.—Orders to any part of the City freely attended with promptness.

כשר

B. ADLER.
CORNER SACRAMENTO AND DUPONT is, as known, provided with an excellent meats, smoked and fresh, of every description.
Mr. Benzion Rosenthal is the שוחט

INSURANCE OFFICES.

HAMBURG BREMEN
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL.....$1,000,000.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN appointed Agent for California, is now prepared to effect Insurance against loss by fire, upon STORES, DWELLINGS, MERCHANDISE and FURNITURE, on favorable terms. All losses by fire sustained by the insured will be immediately settled for.

MORRIS SPEYER, Agent,
138 Washington street,
between Sansome and Montgomery sts.

jy15.tf

Imperial Fire and Life Insurance Co,
OF LONDON.

ESTABLISHED IN 1808. CAPITAL, $8,000,000

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING RECEIVED permission to issue Policies insuring detached frame buildings, and their furniture, are now prepared to receive applications for the same.

Brick Buildings, and Merchandise stored in them, or Merchandise stored afloat insured against fire on the most moderate terms.

Also, Life Insurance for a period of years, or the whole term of life.

FALKNER, BELL & CO., Agents,
ap8 128 California street.

Fire and Marine Insurance Agency,
No. 106 Montgomery Street, San Francisco.

J. P. HAVEN & W. B. JOHNSTON
AGENTS FOR THE
LIVERPOOL AND LONDON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—Capital, $10,000,000.
MERCANTILE MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.
ORIENT MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.

J. P. HAVEN,
Proctor and Advocate in Admiralty.
ADJUSTER OF AVERAGES.

GEORGE T. KNOX,
ATTORNEY AND NOTARY PUBLIC.
ap3

FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE.

THE UNDERSIGNED agents will issue Policies on the most favorable terms, for the following well known and responsible Companies:

Hartford Fire Insurance Company.....Hartford
Phœnix Insurance Company.....Hartford
Merchant's Insurance Company.....Hartford.
Quaker City Insurance Company.....Philadelphia
Girard Fire and Marine Insurance Co.....Philadelphia.
Goodhue Insurance Company.....New York.
Neptune Insurance Company.....Philadelphia.

ALL LOSSES
Will be adjusted and paid at our Office, as soon as proofs are rendered. EDWARD McLEAN & JOHN FOWLER,
Agents.
OFFICE—Northeast corner of Clay and Battery streets
a22 f

WELLS, FARGO & CO.,
NEW YORK AND CALIFORNIA
EXPRESS
AND
EXCHANGE COMPANY.

CAPITAL,.....$600,000.

D. N. BARNEY,.....PRESIDENT.

T. M. JANES,.....TREASURER.

DRAW BILLS OF EXCHANGE,
IN SUMS TO SUIT,
On all the Cities of the
United States and Canada,
Union Bank of London,
London;
Royal Bank of Ireland, Dublin.

Advance on Gold Dust consigned for Assay, and Receive Deposits, General and Special.

EXPRESS
Forwarders and Commission Agents:

SHIP TREASURE AT THE LOWEST RATES,
—AND—
Insure under our own open Policies, held with the best English Companies, viz.:—
Indemnity Mutual Marine;
Marine Insurance;
Royal Exchange Insurance; and
London Assurance.

FORWARD FREIGHT AND PARCELS
To all parts of the United States and Canadas, and, through the "American and European Express and Exchange Company," to all parts of Europe. Execute Commissions, make Collections and Purchases, and attend promptly to all matters pertaining to the Express business

FORWARD DAILY EXPRESSES,
In charge of experienced and faithful Messengers, to all the Towns and Mining Camps in California.

FORWARD SEMI-MONTHLY EXPRESSES
To Oregon and Intermediate Points on the Northern Coast, Port Townsend and Olympia.

To San Diego and Intermediate Points on the Southern Coast, and by every vessel for the Sandwich Islands.

N B. For the better security of ourselves and the public, Agents in California, Oregon and Washington Territories, are furnished with "Appointments," or Commissions, specifying their powers as our Agents. Such "Appointments" they are required to keep exposed to the public view in their places of business.

OFFICE—Corner California and Montgomery-streets.

LOUIS McLANE,
General Agent for California.
G. W. BELL,
SAMUEL KNIGHT, } Superintendents.
feb26-6m

STEAMERS.

Pacific Mail Steam Ship Co.'s Line.
—TO—
PANAMA
Connecting, by way of the Panama Railroad, with the Steamers of the U. S. Mail Steamship Company at Aspinwall,

For New York and New Orleans.

DEPARTURE FROM FOLSOM STREET WHARF.

The Splendid Steamship
Golden Gate,
Capt. WHITING.....Commander
Will leave Folsom street Wharf, with the United States Mails, Passengers and Treasure,
Oct. 5th, ... at 9 A. M.
—PUNCTUALLY—

☞ A choice of berths on the Atlantic steamers is secured by the early purchase of Tickets in San Francisco.

For freight or passage, apply to
FORBES & BABCOCK, Agents,
Corner Sacramento and Leidesdorff streets.
ap28-td

California Steam Navigation Company.
Departure from Jackson Street Wharf.
CARRYING UNITED STATES MAILS.

MARCH 1, 1858.

Steamer NEW WORLD, Capt. SAMUEL SEYMOUR.
Steamer ANTELOPE, Capt. E. A. POOLE.
Steamer HELEN HENSLEY, Capt. E. T. CLARK.
Steamer J. BRAGDON, Capt. E. CONKLIN.
Steamer URILDA, Capt. E. Z. CLARKE.
Steamer CORNELIA, Capt. E. CONCKLIN.

One or more of the above Steamers will leave Jackson Street Wharf every day, at 4 o'clock, P. M., (Sundays excepted,) for

SACRAMENTO AND STOCKTON,

Connecting with the Light Draft Steamers for MARYSVILLE, COLUSI, and RED BLUFFS.

For further particulars inquire at the Office of the Company, corner of Jackson and Front Streets.
feb5.6m J. WHITNEY, President.

FOR NEW ORLEANS,
via
TEHUANTEPEC.
THROUGH IN FIFTEEN DAYS.
Carrying the U. S. Mail.

THE PACIFIC MAIL STEAMship Company will sell Tickets from San Francisco to the Anchorage at Ventosa by their steamer SONORA, leaving on Saturday the 20th and the

LOUISIANA TEHUANTEPEC COMPANY,

Will sell Tickets from the Anchorage at Ventosa to New Orleans.

The Company's new and elegant steamship SONORA, BABY, Commander, has been placed on the route, and will await the arrival of the Mails and Passenger at Minatitlan, and convey them to New Orleans.

For freight or passage from Ventosa to New Orleans apply at the Agency of the Louisiana Tehuantepec Company, S. E. corner of Montmery and Jackson streets.
au19-tf **LUCIEN HERRMANN, Agent.**

REASONS WHY
—THE—
CANTON TEA CO.,
No. 14 Montgomery street,
NEAR MARKET,
CAN AFFORD TO SELL
—THE BEST—
Teas and Groceries,
MUCH CHEAPER
Than the four hundred small corner Grocery dealers in San Francisco:

First—The store is conducted by men of thorought knowledge in the wholesale and retail Grocery trade.
Second—The Goods are bought and sold exclusively for Cash.
Third—They either import their goods or buy direct from the importers.
Fourth—They are always in the market on the alert for bargains, instead of dealing out Shum and Lager Beer,
Fifth—In doing an extensive and constantly increasing business, their expenses are comparatively very small.
Sixth—Their store, besides being very spacious, is the best arranged and the best located for the business in the city; and
Lastly—They are the first to put down the prices and to inform the people of it by exsensively advertising.
jy26

FRUITS! FRUITS!
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC,
For Sale, in Lots to Suit,
—BY—
GEORGE HUGHES,
Corner Sansome and Clay Streets,
SAN FRANCISCO.

N. B.—ORDERS FROM THE COUNTRY PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
{mar4-6

CARPETS, FURNITURE, &c

SELLING OFF!
CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, &C.,
KENNEDY & BELL
No. 105 Montgomery street.

$75,000
WORTH OF
CARPETS,
OIL CLOTHS,
Paper Hangings
&c., &c., &c.

TO BE SOLD WITHIN SIXTY DAYS.

GREAT BARGAINS ARE OFFERED,

As the entire Stock on hand MUST BE SOLD, before moving to our New Store,
Southwest corner of California and Montgomery streets.

KENNEDY & BELL.
je26

LEWIS EMANUEL.
IMPORTER OF ENGLISH & GENEVA WATCHES & JEWELRY OF ALL KINDS.

JOBBER IN CLOTAING, DRY GOODS, &c.

111 Sacramento st.
SAN FRANCISCO
au26

CONSTINE'S
FURNITURE
BAZAAR,
No. 203 Washington street, one door below Peter Job's Restaurant, San Francisco.

Also, Carpets, Oil Cloths and Matting.

Second-hand Goods bought sold or Exchanged. All kinds of Furniture and Upholstry Work Repaired.
m20tf

TO LOVERS
....OF....
Pure Coffee,
Ground or Roasted.

CALL AT THE
WASHINGTON MARKET
GROCERY,
137 WASHINGTON STREET.

R. H. VANCE'S
1st Premium Photographs,

ALL OF WHICH WERE MADE BY myself and my two operators, who have been with me for many years. One is still with me, and the other is in New York, getting all the Improvements of the day, which will shortly be given to my California Customer's.

....OUR....
PHOTOGRAPHS, AMBROTYPES,
....AND....
DAGUERREOTYPES,
....WE....
Challenge the WORLD to Equal!

If third-rate rooms can make capital of our Beautiful Pictures, and employ help that happened to have worked for me once in this City for six weeks, they are welcome to do so.

R. H. VANCE.
Corner Montgomery and Sacramento str

BOARDING HOUSES, &c.

To our friends in the country and in the Atlantic Sta

St. NICHOLAS HOTEL
Corner of Sansome and Commercial Streets.

THE UNDERSIGNED (WELL KNOWN FOR THEIR experience,) have fitted up this splendid building with especial regard to the comfort and convenience of both transient and permanent Boarders and Lodgers.

The St. Nicholas is the permanent residence of many Families, to whom it has become endeared as a **HOME**; consequently travellers stopping at this house are favored with the pleasures of good society—a desideratum seldom found in a hotel.

The table is well supplied with every delicacy. The House is open at all hours.

A coach will always be in attendance to convey guest to and from the boats.

jan29.5m **REGENSBURGER & STERN**

Private Boarding.
122 Commercial Street.

The undersigned is prepared to accommodate her friends with suitable BOARDING AND LODGING.

N. B. Thankful for the patronage of the past she hopes, by her endeavors and attention to the comfort of her Boarders to merit a continuance for the future.

mar19.tf MRS. STODOLE.

כשר COSHER BOARDING כשר
JOEL MINTZ has opened a Cosher Boarding House No. 58 Commercial street, between Sansome and Battery. Gentlemen who wish to partake of a plain, healthy meal, can be accommodated.

AUG. J. SAULMAN. F. L. LAUENSTEIN

SAULMANN'S
—{ COFFEE SALOON, }—
GERMAN BAKERY, AND CONFECTIONARY,
Armory Hall Building,
No. 128 Montgomery Street, corner of Sacramento,
SAN FRANCISCO.
☞ AGENCY FOR RUSSIAN CAVIAR.

Wedding Ceremonies, Balls, Parties
ETC. ETC. ETC.

ORDERS FOR CONFECTIONERY, PASTRY, PIES, CREAM, etc. for Wedding Ceremonies, and Parties, received by

SAULMAN,
—ARMORY HALL BUILDING,—
No. 128 Montgomery Street,

Who will furnish Families, Boarding Houses, and Hotels, with all articles usually sold in a Bakery and Confectionary Store, of a superior quality, on reasonable terms, and at the shortest notice.

His long residence and extended custom is sufficient warranty of the superiority of his productions. n5

WINN'S
FOUNTAIN HEAD!
STRAWBERRIES AND CREAM.

Go! Go! to the Fountain Head, and partake of the delicious things for which this place is noted.

Kearny street, No. 160, near Commercial.

WINN'S FOUNTAIN HEAD.
je3-3m

ONLY 75 CENTS!
.... FOR ....
Name, Type and Ink,
.... AT ....
NOISY CARRIER'S,
jy15-tf 77 Commercial st.

BUY YOUR
Envelopes
.... AT ....
NOISY CARRIER'S,
77 Commercial street.
Only 12 1-2 Cents a Bunch.
jy15-tf

Buy your Letter Paper
.... AT ....
NOISY CARRIER'S
77 Commercial street.
jy15-tf **ONLY 25 Cents per Quire.**

Minister for San Francisco.
The Congregation Emanu-El, of San Francisco, Cal., wishes to engage at the earliest possible date,

A MINISTER AND SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT.

And is now ready to receive applications. Amount of Salary, **$3,000 per annum,** with the usual perquisites. Term of first engagement—*Not less than Three, nor more than Five Years.*

Applicants, in all cases, will please to send in their credentials, as well as all such references that may not only be necessary, but also tend to facilitate preliminary negotiations.

Henry Seligman, President.
B. Hagan, Recording Secretary.
A. Tandler
A. Wasserman
B. Hamburger } Committee on Ministry
A. Halphen
H. Greenebaum

SAN FRANCISCO Nov. 14, 1858

The Weekly Gleaner,

WEDNESDAY, ----------SEP1. 28 1859 (5619).

NOTICE.

Ophir Lodge No. 21, I. O. B. B., will hold their weekly meetings every Wednesday evening, at 7 1-2 o'clock, at the emperance Hall in Washington, between Sansome and Montgomery streets.

Members and sojourning brethren of good standing ar expectfully invited. E. NEWBURGER, Pres.
L. KORNICKER, Sec.

ALL parties who accept more than four copies without returning one, are considered subscribers.

RETURNED copies, to show whence they comeought to have the name of the person who returns them; else we cannot know who sends them.

HOLIDAYS.

ראש השנה The New Year festival, will be celebrated this year on Thursday and Friday, Sept, 29. 30.

יום כפור The Day of Atonement will be celebrated Saturday, Oct. 8.

☞ We do not endorse any advertisements in our columns.

Happy New Year.

How sweet a salutation! How it would make the heart of him to whom this kind and sincere wish is addressed, leap for joy, as the soft and plesant tones fall from the lips of those he loves! What deep and significant meaning, what heart felt and encouraging wishes, are there contained in these few words. What a multitude of blessings do they invoke! "I WISH YOU A HAPPY NEW YEAR!" Not merely a happy to-day or a happy to-morrow, but a happy new year—happy throughout the whole coming year; not a mere negative, idle, or phantom-like happiness, without source, end, or aim; but a positive, real, soul-filling pleasure, flowing from the knowledge of duty performed, from an approving conscience, and from the smile of God! Not a short lived pleasure, which has its origin in some creation of the fancy or imagination, but one of enduring bliss, springing from the great "Giver of every good and perfect gift."

Reader! we most cordially wish you "a Happy New Year."

Also to you, my dear children, I address the above hearty New Year's wish. May Almighty God preserve you and your dear parents and protectors, and may you grow up in the fear of God, and become a blessing to yourselves, to your parents, and to your people.

OUR WANTS.

The dying do not weep; dead men do not complain, death wants nothing. *We* feel that we have wants.

And as the most dangerous sickness is that which has no prognosis, so is that state the most dangerous in which moral sickness is not felt. Hence we are glad to hear from converse with betters among us, that they are not satisfied with our religious state. There is no communion among us with the past; no joy with the present, and unless we awaken gloomy prospects for the future of Israel? The true fathers in Israel lament the disaffection of the Children in Israel: the mothers miss that sanctity in the family, which made the humble tent abroad what mansions cannot be made by gold. In short, we *cannot* follow the ways of our fathers, nor do we want our children to imitate our ways; and so we exclaim with our prophet: "כל ראש לחלי וכל לבב דוי" "Every head (intelligence) is sick, and every heart (men of feeling) in pain."

We will not fill houses on the New Year with complaints; though the day and the time is set aside for self-examination; we merely will invite the attention of all better men to examine with us the root of the evil; and at the same time to implore Him who has been our safeguard to this day, that He may bless our endeavors, that our humble words may find root in the hearts of those for whom they are intended.

Before proceeding, we must warn our readers against the general application of the term "declension," and others of the same import, used by us in this article. for we also, like our neighbors, have, among the "many" who "are called," a 'few chosen" ones; and while we have seriously to complain about the general influences of "the spirit of the age," we thank God that we find in many among us, that good will, and those actual moral qualities, that ever were the honor of Israel. What we have to complain most against is, against the masses, and the general spirit among us. The evils of our timse are felt more among us than among our neighbors, as circumstances and events have, so to say, taken us by surprise, and thrown us into a state in which we have not had time to organize and settle.

Causes of Our Declension.

I—WANT OF OBEDIENCE.

Our people forget, that religion consists in the gentler virtues of resignation, of yielding, of self denial, and submissiveness; in short, *a state of passiveness*, of a deep conviction of our weakness and a yielding of passive submission to higher wisdom and superior goodness. But our people will pay no obedience, will not bend their will; it is desirious to rule, and is fractious against all authority; our age walks "After their own heart and their own eyes," our age is in a state of rebellion; we are in a state of irreligion. uness we can say with our fathers "We will practice and obey."

II—WISDOM OF OBEDIENCE.

It is a folly or madness, or both, in any man to say "I am a free agent; I do what I like," without listening to advice, without submitting to law or authority. Obedience on the contrary, is wisdom.—As a child is counted wise, when it obeys those who know better than itself what is good or evil, what it should do or omit—and as he is wise, who asks advice about diet, health and sickness, of men who have made chemistry, dietetics and medicine their study, so is he wise, who, knowing himself not to be the greatest and wisest of men, goes for advice to the greatest and wisest of our race that ever lived—wisdom relies on authority, folly is foolhardy and self sufficient. The greatest men were those who had learned most, that is, who borrowed most from greater men than themselves, whose wisdom consisted in being led by authority.

This is plain: well then, what man on earth is not a child in some respects, in some knowledge, in comparison with some greater man, some great mind, that ever lived in any country or age before him. Wise men like children, instead of following their own narrow experience or knowledge, ask advice of the best and greatest men and minds that have ever lived. Great men always submited to authority of greater men than themselves Obedience is wisdom, selfwill is folly and madness. Our age is fractious, most men act as if they had no need to learn, as if all the ages before us were children, and we were the first full grown men.

We allow no betters to guide, to advise us.

It is a pitiable state where a mass of the most mediocre men among whom there are not at least two hundred Socrates, five hundred Aristides, six hundred Platos, a thousand Newtons, and at least one hundred Humbolts—it is a pitiable state to see such a mass, spread over the country, throwing off all authority, and spurn all the deeper wisdom that preceeded them; because they cannot fathom it, or because it is dressed in an ancient garb. "My people perish for lack of knowledge."

Great luminaries are allowed to appear but rarely among man, they are sent to serve as lights, to illumiuate the darkness that covers the general average of mind among mankind—and if those to whom they are to serve as lights reject them, and walk in their own dim light, the earth is covered with darkness; and, be assured, that those who *see* least and *feel* least the impressions of the great universe that surrounds us, they will be the first to cry "All is a vacuum," they will see nothing but themselves, and a very few objects near them. It is only great minds, who stand in harmony with the universe, that submit to its laws, and obey; disobedience is another cause of our declension.

III—DISBELIEF.

Great minds are believers, indifferent men do not go beyond their own depths. The more knowledge of the mysteries of ture a man acquires, the more he finds out to be true what before he would have had to take on credit, to believe; great men *know* much which they before but believed, and they give credence to considerable more than they knew; while those who know nothing, generally reject all they do not know.—The Emperor of Japan falls into a passion at being told that in our countries water, at times grows hard (freezes) and we can walk conit.

The Emperor would not believe, and his disbelief is his folly. Our disbelief is ignorance, or pride, and leads to decay.

When we speak of knowledge, we do not mean such knowledge as is taught in our academies, mercantile. and military schools; we refer to certain impressions and convictions with which the most humble are frequently blessed; while others are almost as deprived of them, as the blind are of light. And it is generally the latter who judge with the greatest presumption, and who being blind exclaim "All is darkness." The man who believes only as far as he can see, will indeed have a very narrow creed—and such is the creed of our age; hence our decay.

Female Fortitude. Much has been said and written about the the superiority of women in their power of endurance; but few persons have added the just, though melancholy reflection, that the power of endurance in woman is but the faithful measure of how much they have to endure.

[COMMUNICATION.]

To the ED. of the GLEANER

Most Worthy Sir:

Impelled by a sense of duty which I owe to my God and to my sex, I will beg of you to peruse this my first attempt at Newspaper Communications; and if you think it worthy of an insertion, please give it a place in your columns, as a reply to the gentleman who, without the least decorum, hurled his anathemas at our sex, simply because some of them choose to live in single blessedness rather than unite themselves to a man not of their choice—. It may not be maidenly thus to appear before your numerous readers in defense of a cause so worthy a masculine pen; but, then, I am somewhat ambitious, and would like to see my name in print, and so I have ventured to meet the antagonist of the Jewish Ladies—upon paper. While in conversation with some of my lady friends the other day, this theme was our subject and we were not at all surprised that some young men should think proper to select wives for themselves from the fair daughters of the Gentiles; we, who have too well know of the transitory conditions of men and of things, judge the former by their worth, and the latter by their intrinsic value; we know too, that young men, who have lived in blissful ignorance of the world, until dame fortune has taken them by the hand, led them to this country and is supposed to have filled their coffers with the precious metal, and because of their boasted wealth mean trying to gain the affections of such of our sex, who, a few years ago, would not deign to countenance the ignorant tailor or the humble pedler. It is a mistaken idea that the young Jewesses of California look to wealth only, as the only requisite for a good husband; it is rather to character and the habits of the young men which we consider, and to which every young woman of sense ought to look.

No matter what calling or profession a young man has formerly followed, as follows now, so he be but a young man who has enjoyed the early advantages of an education, and is a man of character.

There are many of our sex who deplore their matrimonial state, because they were beguiled by their husband's supposed wealth, which alone they find to be inadequate to procure connubial felicity.

Love in a cottage will do very well in a song, but when stern reality stares you in the face, then you will find that this poetry affords us no substance.

SARAH.

THE receipts of the American Bible Society the past year exceeded by nearly $20,000 those of the previous year. The receipts of the American Tract Society amount to $383,378, being a slight increase over the previous year. The receipts of the American Home Missionary Society are in advance of the previous year. The American Board for the seven months just closed, shows an advance of over $20,000.

In fourteen years the missionary revenue of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, has increased from about $60,000 to $215,000.

The vine bears three kinds of fruit: the first, pleasure; the second, intoxication; the third, remorse.

[COMMUNICATED.]

Editor GLEANER.

thy Sir:

Allow me to address a
marks which if worthy of insertion
valuable paper, you will allow
small space therein.

bject of intermarriage concerns not
e Hebrews, as a religious body,
other denominations among whom
, allow me to discuss the topic

ng the questions that naturally
themselves, are the follow-

: Are intermarriages legal ac-
to orthodox laws? Everybody
in Hebrew lore will answer, no;
conversion to our faith has preced-

second question which presents it-
do such marriages lead to conju-
ppiness? Common sense would
s: no; for, how can two natures,
d and impressed from infancy with
e religious ideas, and entertaining
ing opinions regarding the Deity
worship, be happy and contented
r married life? Particularly when
ot only know that they have out-
the feelings of former friends and
tions, and are, in a manner, es-
d from them,‡ but would actually
grieved and hurt at expressions
would not carry on the surface at
ll appearance of indifference upon
ligious view.

e so, do we not find by experience,
omen, after they have passed the
tlessness of youth, and entered the
full maturity of thought, have re-
l such marriages, and why? because
r years, the impressions of early ed-
have shown themselves more for-
both parties, than during the
y and blindness of youthful lov-

ther question presents itself: If
marriage has taken place or is
to take place, shall we, as a reli-
body, so far commit ourselves, as to
rage such unions by making prose-
to our faith of the stranger, without
rther preparation, but the mere
for admission? Is there no in-
ion required, are there no convic-
and abnegations necessary? Is
no *change of heart and of life* to
such conversions? And is any
whom a *number of men* make their
, without his possessing sufficient
nical knowledge, and without being
ted with a rabbinical authority, is
have the keys of the synagogue in
and to give admission (on receipt of
e) to whom he likes? I again would
no! For I believe talmudic and
laws, and even common sense teach
at proselytes should only be accept-
hen sincere conviction of a religious
em is their sole motive, and where not
the outward show of suspicion re-
ing such motives rests on those who
ent themselves to become proselytes.
not, therefore, a duty, and does it
stand to reason, that not only we, as
s, but every religious body should
ourage and discountenance proselyt-
under dubious circumstances?

ut what do we find here in California?
n or parties who preach from the pulpit
odoxy, and who are to be the ex-
nders of orthodox laws, allow them-
es (for money) to be made the tool of such, would be proselytes, *of preconcerted marriages.* Nay, more contrary to all recognised orthodoxy of older, and for centuries established, communities, they step forth, and make a *mockery* of religion, by making a proselyte for the mere asking, in the incredible short time of a few weeks, perhaps days only. What can or will they say in extenuation for their unwarrantable conduct; and public men are responsible for their acts before a public to which they stand in certain relations?

Would they quote Ruth as an example? If we refer to the text in the book of Ruth, let us see what was her motive in following Naomi her mother-in-law, and in adopting her faith? was it anything less than religious conviction?—Did Ruth know beforehand when she and her mother-in-law were pining in poverty, and when she said to the latter, "*Thy God shall be my God,*" did she then know that her virtue would ever be rewarded by Boas becoming her husband? While, in cases of late occurrences, facts show that marriage was preconcerted before conversion; and that candidates for proselytism were in fact but women presenting themselves as candidates for marriage.

Believing to have expressed views on the subject which common sense cannot deny, allow me to call myself

ORTHODOX.

* For reasons well known to the learned, we omitted accompanying this communication with the notes required. At the same time, in justice to proselytes in general, we state with pleasure, that we have bad occasion to make the acquaintance, and to visit since several years, at three houses of proselytes, (and we know but of six cases of proselytism in this city,) and we found all three worthy of our highest respect.

YOUNG MEN OF ISRAEL, PLEASE ATTEND.

While it is conceded on all hands that the promotion of universal mental knowledge forms so small a proportion of our expenditures, it is fit that we should for a moment give this so important subject a passing thought.

The time honored rites of our religion imposes upon us the solemn obligation to promise, not only godliness at the beginning of every Newyear, but also a strict adherence to the laws of God and nature.

We do not deem it inexpedient to propose at this so very appropriate time ways and means by which our young men in this city might, in the course of human events, rank among the first in our community as regards practical knowledge.

We all know that this so called school-education or bookknowledge does not fit a man for most stations in life, and it is this difficulty against which the foreign Hebrew youth continually battles; and in order to alleviate the condition of all those who have a desire to gain *that* which the precious stones cannot buy, nor time and circumstances destroy, we propose to establish a "Hebrew Young Men's Literary and Debating Club," after the most approved plan, for the promotion of universal mental knowledge.

Those of you, who sympathise with a cause, which, for its utility and ultimate success, has no other voucher but the modest Minerva, will please to call on Sunday next at Temperance Hall on Washington street at 2 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of organizing said Club.

[COMMUNICATION.]

MR. EDITOR:—It is a sense of duty incumbent upon me, as well as upon a number of others who second my intention, to give publicity to the following:

The reader of the "Gleaner" is, upon reading the promiscuous advertisements contained therein, struck with astonishment, and must, if he is at all conversant with Hebrew law and Hebrew men, feel indignant at the sight of such advertisements as emanate from such of our co-religionists who set up religion as a trade, and impose upon the credulity of the uninformed, even to a degree of endangering life, and bringing scandal upon us. One of the most bare faced and audacious advertisements which found its way in the advertising columns of the "Gleaner," is one purporting to come from a "Reverend," who, like a modern quack, has set himself up as a schoolman and Mohel, and stuck his shingle out; and in order to dupe those who do not know him, and the few whom misfortune again might bring into his clutches, he hails them with the charitable phrase of "Gratis."

Were it not indecorous, as well as also out of place, I would not have the least hesitation in pronouncing this same self-styled Reverend, of Oregon notoriety, where he, for his incapacity in a particular branch, was imprisoned, and from whence he subsequently had to leave for quarters where his quackdom has not earned those denunciations which he so properly merits, "an impostor."

To convince you, Mr. Editor, as also the Israelites of this city, that I confine myself strictly to the truth, I will call your attention to another advertisement of this same Reverend gentleman in the "Gleaner," which speaks of his talent for the delightful task of rearing "the tender mind." Almost every one who has the least conception of what education ought to be, perceives, at a glance, that it is the height of presumption that this self-styled *Reverend* announces himself as a person fit to take charge of the training of young children, or to impart to them, what he himself stands so much in need of—good manners and schooling.

SAT.

BIRTHS

In this city, Sept. 23d, the wife of C. Meyer, of a son.

In this city, Sept. 25th, the wife of I. C , of a son.

MARRIED.

In this city, Sept. 22, by the editor of the "Gleaner" M. Rosenberg, of Deadwood, Siskiyou county, to Miss Hanahn Hauser, of this city.

In this city, Sept. 25, by the same, L. Samuel of Nevada, to Miss Lina Levy, of this city.

DEATH.

Died in New York, Aug. 23d, D. Sachs, a native of Bavaria, aged 72 years.

PAYMENTS

PLACERVILLE.

Mr. H. Lewis, in advance to Vol. IV.

DUTCH FLAT.

Mr. L Gross in adv. to Vol III 43. . .$5,00

LOS ANGELES.

Mr. L Jacobs, in adv. to October, 1860.

THANKS.—To Rev. Daniel Levy, for his kind attention.

To Mr. N Fish, of Salem, for favors receivee.

The best Purifier of Blood—Hall's Sarsaparilla Yellow Dock and Iodide of Potass.

NEW AND FASHIONABLE HAT STORE.

M. HARRIS RESPECTFULLY INFORMS HIS friends and the public of San Francisci, that he has just opened a NEW and FASHIONABLE STOCK of GOODS at

No. 130 Montgomery Street.

Where can be found always on hand all styles of LADIES' AND GENTS' RIDING CAPS; CHILDRENS FANCY CAPS &c., &c.

MILITARY REGULATION AND NAVY CAPS, and all kinds of HATS AND CAPS made to order.

FURS of all descriptions dressed and repaired.

M. HARRIS, Fashionable Hatter,
And First Premium Cap maker
30 Montgomery st. between Sacramento and Commercial, opposite Tucker's

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SEATS.

CONGREGATION "EMANU EL"

Seats for the ensuing Year may be secured by applying immediately to A Wasserman.

Chairman of Committee,
Customhouse Block.

SEATS.

NOTICE TO ISRAELITES.

Persons wishing to secure seats in the synagogue "Sherith Israel," Stockton st. for the coming Holidays, can do so by applying to S. Harris, 95 California st. between Sansome and Battery.

By order of the Board of Trustees.

P. S. Mr. Harris will be at the Synagogue in attendance, from 10 to 12 A. M. on each Sunday preceding the Holidays.

AUCTION NOTICE.

Ashim Bros.,

Inform their friends and patrons that their Auction sales will, on account of the Holidays, take place on **Monday** and **Wednesday** of next week.

ALEXANDER & BRO.

MERCHANT TAILORS,

166 CLAY ST.

KEEP ON HAND AND ARE CONSTANTly receiving a well selected stock of Custom made Clothing and Gent's furnishing goods

sep-23 tf

PHYSICIANS, DENTISTS, &c.

A CARD.

To ladies and gentlemen who want the attendance of an able Surgeon and Mechanical Dentist, may apply to Dr. M. Sichel.

Dr. Sichel has practised in New York for the last ten years in every branch of Scientific Dentistry; his work recommends itself—aside from preservation and beauty by the elegibility of charges, as will be seen from the lowing terms:

The best Artificial Teeth, in gold blade, from $6 to $1
Teeth set on healthy roots, $4 to $5.
Teeth filled with pure gold, $3.
Teeth extracted, $1.

All operations and mechanical work warranted.

Office, 144 Sacramento street, beween Kearny Montgomery streets (over Norcross' store).

CARL PRECHT,

Dr. Med. Chir. and Accoucheur

Office hours from 7 to 11 o'clock, A. M.

228 Dupont street, near to Washington!

jy 10

DR. J. REGENSBURGER,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

NO. 128 STOCKTON STREET,

Between Clay and Washington streets,

19-3m San Francisco

WM. PABE

Attorney at Law

AND....

Proctor in Admiralty,

Will practice in all the Courts of this State and the United States;

Office, oN. 163 Clay street,

SAN FRANCISCO.

Particular attention paid to the Collection of Moneys, and authentication of papers to be sent abroad.

Commissioner for all the States.

DRY NURSE.

Mrs. Caroline Frank, who, for a number of years, has served as nurse in the city of New York, and who is able to give excellent references, would be glad to render services in the capacity of dry-nurse to such families as may want said services. Apply No. 63 Merchant Street, near Sansome.

DRY GOODS.

ASHIM BROTHERS.

Auction & Commission Merchants,

Corner Liedesdorf & Sacramento sts. opposite the Opposition Steamship Co.

REGULAR SALE'S DAYS

TUESDAYS, & THURSDAYS.

Dry Goods, Clothing,

Boots'Shoes, etc. etc.

SATURDAYS,

WATCHES, JEWELRY, FANCY GOODS, ETC.

au12-tf

REMOVAL.

MRS. BLOCHMAN, has removed her Millinery Store from No. 210 Clay street toNo.234 *Dupont* street, near Green.

D. ABRAHAM,

CAP MANUFACTORY,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

No. 79 Kearny street,

Between Pine and Bush,.....*SAN FRANCISCO*

J. C. MEUSSDORFFER,

MANUFACTURER AND IMPORTER

—OF—

HATS AND CAPS,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

No. 165 Commercial Street.

...Kearny, SAN FRANCISCO.
...Stock contains always the latest European and ...ican styles.
...y kind of Hats (both Fur and Silk) made to order.
30—3m

JOSEPH LORYEA,

Importer and Jobber in

CROCKERY,

GLASSWARE, LAMPS, & c.,

Chandeliers, Plated & Brittannia Ware, Looking-Glasses, &c., &c.,

No. 146 J street, between 5th and 6th streets,

SACRAMENTO.

N. B. Goods delivered to any part of the City free charge. ap3-3m

L. KRAMBACH,

Importer and Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

CROCKERY,

Glassware, Plated and Britannia Ware Cutlery, Lamps, &c.

No. 140 Clay Street,

Between Montgomery and Sansome, opposite Leidesdorff Street, ap9-3m

JAMES HAYES,

MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN MARBLE

Grave Stones.

Chimney, Table & Counter Tops.

No. 166 CALIFORNIA STREET.

Hebrew Inscriptions executed with precision, and neatness. All work done in the best manner, at the lowest prices.

NATHANIEL GRAY,

UNDERTAKER,

155 Sacramento street, Corner of Wen.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Iron and wood Grave Enclosures and Marble Tomb-Stones furnished to order.

WORMSER BROTHERS,

Importers of and Dealers in

Wines and Liquors,

Southwest Corner California and Front-streets.

Orders from the country carefully and strictly attended to, and those who favor us may depend upon the quality sent invariably being such as ordered. feb26-3m

DRY GOODS.

F. HENDERSON,

No. 61 Sacramento street,

SAN FRANCISCO.

New Fancy and Staple Dry Goods,

BY THE ARRIVAL OF EVERY STEAMER AND CLIPPER.

Offered at the lowest Market Prices, to which I invite the attention of City and Country Merchants.

Assorted Prints—new styles; assorted Blankets; Berth and Bed Blankets; "York Mills" Cottons; Blue Denim—assorted; Linen Check and Hickory Shirts; "Ashland," Washington" and "Howard" Duck; White and colbred Marseilles Quilts; Brown Drill; Brown Sheeting; assorted colors Flannel; Ballard Vale White Flannel; Bleached and Slate Drills; Bed Ticking—assorted; Bleached Shirtings—assorted "Allendale" Sheetings—assorted widths Fine Brown Shirtings; Gray Twilled Flannel.

N. B. Orders for the Country promptly supplied.

feb12-G4m

U. SIMON. L. DINKELSPIEL.

SIMON & DINKELSPIEL,

Importers and Jobbers of

FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,

HOSIERY, &c. &c.

No. 79 California Street,

Corner of Battery and California Streets. SAN FRANCISCO.

ADELSDORFER BROTHERS

IMPORTERS OF

FANCY GOODS,

CUTLERY, PLAYING CARDS, YANKEE NOTIONS, &c.

No. 2 Custom House Block,

Corner of Sansome and Sacramento streets,

SAN FRANCISCO.

ADELSDORFER BROTHERS receive regular shipments of FANCY GOODS, from Europe and New York, and Sell at the very Lowest Prices.

ALWAYS ON HAND,

Hosiery, Accordeons, Perfumery, Playing Cards, Looking Glasses, Combs, Brushes, Porte Monnaies, &c.

Together with a Complete assortment of Yankee Notions.

S. W. ROSENSTOCK. ICE

ROSENSTOCK & PRICE,

Importers and Jobbers

OF

BOOTS, SHOES, BROGANS, &c.,

BATTERY STREET

San Francisco.

dec17.

CHARLES HESS,

Dealer and Jobber in

DRY GOODS,

Clothing, Yankee Notions, &c.,

Sacramento street, above Battery, (2d floor.)

N. B. All orders from the Country attended to with despatch. ap9-3m

JANSON, BOND & CO.

IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS OF

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

DRY GOODS,

NO. 95,

Battery Street, corner of Clay,

SAN FRANCISCO.

Dec3

GODCHAUX BROTHERS,

IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS OF

FANCY AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS,

Embroideries, Laces, Trimmings, Ribbons, Cloaks, &c. &c., No. 31 32, California street.,

One door from the corner of Battery, San Francisco.

A. GODCHAUX, je24-tf J. GODCHAUX.

S. MAYER & BROS.,

Importers of

New, Fancy, and Staple Dry Goods,

85 CALIFORNIA STREET,

Receive regular assortments by nearly every clipper ship, as also by every steamer, which we offer for sale at the lowest wholesale market rates.

L. KING & BROTHER,

Importers and Jobbers of

CLOTHING,

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS, ETC.

No. 71 Battery St. bet. Sacramento and Cal. sts.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

DRY GOODS.

Hamburger Bros.

Beg leave to announce to their Friends particularly, and to the public in general, that they have resumed business.

They have reopened their store at: 90 California st. between Sansome and Battery. where they will keep constantly on hand and receive by every Steamer from the East, a general ASSORTMENT of domestic and FANCY DRY GOODS, CASHMERE, EMBROIDERIES, MERINOS, MILLINERY, GOODS GLOVES, TABLE CLOTH, HOSIERY, YANKEE NOTIONS, LACES, RIBBONS, GIMPS, SOCKS, SILKS ERINGES PRINTS, SHAWLS, PARASOLS, LINENS, DIAPERS, TOWELS TICKS, SHEETINGS, &C., ETC., ETC., ETC.

Which they offer at the lowest market rates.

P. S. Store will be closed on Saturdays.

WHOLESALE DRY GOODS

BY THE PIECE OR PACKAGE.

TAFFE, McCAHILL & Co.,

Importers and Jobbers of

OREIGN AND DOMESTIC, FANCY AND STAPLE

Dry Goods, Hosiery,

DUCK CARPETS, &C.,

Together with every other article in the Dry Goods line.

Corner Front and Sacramento Streets,

SAN FRANCISCO.

S. UHLFELDER. LEOPOLD CAHN

UHLFELDER & CAHN,

Importers and Jobbers in

Fancy and Staple Dry Goods

No. 84 California Street,

SAN FRANCISCO.

G6m

E. COLEMAN,

IMPORTER OF

Embroideries, Laces, Millinery Goods, Fringes, Ribbons, Velvets, Silks, Buttons, Trimmings, Fancy Notions,

California Street, 3d Store from Sansome.

Basement. aug18tf

CLOTHING, &C.

Clothing! Clothing! Clothing!

For Men, for Boys, and for Children!

For all Mankind, including the

MILLION!

WHAT CHEER CLOTHING EMPORIUM,

118 Sacramento street.

COATS, PANTS, VESTS, BANDKERCHIEFS, CRAVATS, SUSPENDERS, GLOVES, BELTS, &c.

For sale at New York Auction Prices.

☞ Call and judge for yourself.

ASHIM BROTHERS,

118 Sacramento street.

mar19-4m

WM. MEYER & CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

Gentlemen's and Boys' Clothing,

No. 170 Clay Street.

(BETWEEN KEARNY AND MONTGOMERY STREETS,)

jan22-G4m SAN FRANCISCO

THURNAUER & ZINN,

IMPORTER

OF

French and German

FANCY BASKETS,

English and American

Willow Ware

Cane and Willow Chairs,

Ladies' Work Stands,

Childrens' Carriages, Hobby Horses, TOYS, &c., &c.

No. 12 Battery street, between Commercial and Clay, jel. **San Francisco.**

NEWMAN BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS OF

BRUSHES,

No. 74 BATTERY ST.,

One door from Sacramento st,

SAN FRANCISCO.

☞ Always on hand a good assortment of Brushes, Feather Dusters, Twines, Blacking, etc., etc.

FLUE, MACHINE AND ALL OTHER BRUSHES MADE TO ORDER. au5-tf

CIGARS AND TOBACCO

A. S. ROSENBAUM

IMPORTERS OF

Fine

HAVANA CIGARS,

TOBACCO, ETC.

Corner Clay and Battery sts.

SAN FRANCISCO.

ST. LOSKY, LEVY &

IMPORTERS OF THE ...

Choicest Brands

—OF—

Havana Cigars,

And Sole Agents for the sale, in ...

La Flor de Cabanas, Partagas C...

109 California ...

Next door to ...

L. & E. WERTHEIMER

Importers and Dealers in

CIGARS & TOBACCO,

No. 2 Franklin Building, Corner Sacramento Streets,

SAN FRANCISCO.

GENUINE MEERCHAUM

PIPES,

A. WASSERMANN & Co.

No. 3 Custom House Block, Sacramento st.

IMPORTERS of German and ...

DRY & FANCY GOODS

GENUINE AND IMITATION

MEERCHAUM PIPES, ETC. ETC.

feb13-3m

LEVINSON BROTHERS

Importers and Jobbers in

HAVANA AND DOMESTIC

CHOICE BRANDS OF CHEWING AND SMOKING TOBACCO,

CIGARITOS, MATCHES, SNUFF, ETC.

83 Battery Street,

Between California and Sacramento

SAN FRANCISCO.

feb19-G6m

LATEST BRANDS

JUST RECEIVED,

CIGARS! CIGARS!

Tried, Recommended and Found to be the ...

Kozminsky,

Patten's Exchange Sansome ...

mar19-3m

M. BERNHEIM

(Late of Mercer and Bernheim)

WHOLESALE CONFECTIONERY

AND IMPORTER OF

CONFECTIONERY OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

No. 104 CLAY STREET,

Between Sansome and ...

Informs his Customers, and the Public in general, that he has opened this establishment, where he will keep on hand a large stock of

STICK CANDIES, ALMONDS, ...

COMFITS, LUMPS, ...

MOTTOES, LOZENGES, ...

GUM-DROPS, JUJUBE PASTE, FRENCH ...

----AND----

Every Variety of Confectionery.

A thorough acquaintance with the Business, and practice of six years, renders him competent to select Goods.

☞ Please call at No. 104 Clay street. Orders from the Country will meet with prompt ...

PETER SMITH,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

SALT, SMOKED, AND ... FISH,

No. 53 Clay Street, near ...

SAN FRANCISCO.

SEINES and ***GILL NETS*** Got up ...

☞ ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED ...

FOR SALE

200 bbls Oregon and California Salmon,

100 Half bbls do do Salmon,

100 Kits Soused Salmon,

8,000 Lbs New Smoked Spring ...

200 Packages Pickled Herring,

150 Half bbls and kits Mackerel,

PETER SMITH,

e3 -tf 35 Clay ...

J. WIGMORE,

Show Case and Desk Manufactory,

123 California street.

SILVER PLATED CASES ...

TO ORDER. an Francisco.

PAINTS, OILS, &c.

OILS, WINDOW GLASS, &C.

ER & BUCKLEY

landing and in Store, and for sale at LOWEST RATES,

White Lead,
Linseed Oil (boiled and raw),
Spirits Turpentine,
Varnish (English and American),
Paint and Whitewash Brushes (ass'd sizes),
Window Glass (ass'd sizes),
Glue (ass'd qualities),
with a Large Stock of all Articles in our Line, which we are receiving regularly from the Best Manufacturers.

Also at all times on hand

SPERM OIL,
POLAR OIL,
TANNERS' OIL,
LARD OIL,
And SOLAR OIL.

Suit, at
188 Washington St.
and
89 OREGON street.
ap2dp.

RNITURE
AND
dding.
S C. CLARK & CO.
Importer
AND
Manufacturers of
ITURE, BEDDING
AND
Mirrors,
Washington st.
SAN FRANCISCO.

now in store the largest stock of Furniture offered on the Pacific Coast, which we will sell than it costs others to import.
JONAS G. CLARK & Co.
ington street, San Francisco; 49 and Fourth J and K, Sacramento; Hunter street betw ree, Stockton; First street, San Jose.

GE L. STORY & CO.,
importers and Wholesale Dealers in
OILS, WINDOW GLAS.
VARNISHES,
SHES, COLORS, GLUES,
Etc., Etc.
5 Clay Street,
SAN FRANCISCO

DEVINE'S
ALE EMPLOYMENT
AND REGISTER OFFICE,
corner of California and Kearny sts.
best Servants, at the shortest notice, free

O. W. CHAPIN & CO.
Agency and Employment Office,
under the supervision of the
ung Men's Christian Association,
San Francisco.
r Kearny & Clay sts., one door from Clay

Y'S BOOK AUCTION.

Montgomery Block.

ND AND CONSTANTLY RECEIVING THE t and best assortment of Books in every de- of Literature.
Sales commencing at 7½ o'clock P. M. Private g the day.
s inducements offered to Libraries and to the

A. ROMAN.

AUCTION HOUSES, &c.

T. J. L. SMILEY. | JOS. YERKES. | GEO. W. SMILEY.

SMILEY, YERKES & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
SALESROOM—S. W. corner of Sacramento and Sansome streets.
SALE DAYS.
MONDAYS—Regular Catalogue Sales (in second story salesroom) of FRENCH GOODS, SILKS, EMBROIDERIES, STAPLE DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS, &c.
WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS } Regular Catalogue Sales of BOOTS, BROGANS, CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS BLANKETS. ap3

H. M. NEWHALL, E. W. EDDY.

NEWHALL, GREGORY & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS.
SALESROOM—Fire-Proof Brick Building corner of Sacramento and Battery Streets.
REGULAR SALE DAYS—Mondays and Thursdays.
Regular Sales by Catalogue,
—OF—
BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS,
LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S
SHOES,
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, HATS AND CAPS, CUTLERY, FANCY GOODS, &c.
ap3

R. D. W. DAVIS & CO.
AUCTIONEERS.
SALE DAYS.....TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.
AT 10 o'clock, A. M.

THE UNDERSIGNED having taken the Fireproof Brick Store on the southwest cornrr of California and Sansome streets, will continue the Auction and Commission Business, under the name and style of R. D. W. DAVIS & CO. Gratefully acknowledging the favors heretofore extended to him, he respectfully solicits a share of patronage.
ap3 R. D. W. DAVIS.

ALBERT KUNER,
SEAL ENGRAVER & DIE SINKER
167 Washington Street, San Francisco.
NOTARIAL SEALS, as prescribed by the law of 1853. Masonic and Official Seals of every description. Ornamental Engraving and Marking at the shortest notice, and at reasonable prices. ap3
DOOR PLATES ENGRVED TO ORDER

PREMIUM STENCIL PLATES.
CUT to order, at the shortest notice, and in a superior style to any other concern in the city or State.
Stencil Brushes, Ink and Marking Pots for sale.
J. F. HALL,
ap29 tf 8, E. cor. Front and Sacramento streets.

WHAT DO YOU THINK!
I WILL ENGRAVE YOUR NAME ON A STAMP, and give you Indelible Ink. for **$1 25.** Stamps for marking Linen. *T. C. BOYD, Wood Engraver.*
ap29 tf 149 Clay street, near Montgomery.

DR. BOURNE'S
EL CTRO CHEMICAL BATHS!
AND
VAPOR BATHS!
SOUTHEST CORNER OF
SANSOME AND COMMERCIAL SREETS,
Only $1 per Bath!
AND LESS,
IF A NUMBER OF TICKETS ARE PURCHASED

As these Baths equalize the circulation and purify the blood, increase and equalize the nervous forces, improve appetite, deterge all effete matter, and impart universal warmth and strength to the system, they are invaluable aids in the cure of ALL diseases; but especially Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Paralysis, Fever and Ague, &c.; and for Colds, Coughs, and all Affections of the Chest, are absolutely of unequalled efficacy.
☞ But it is not proper to take a Bath until three hours or more, after a meal.
They also remove from the human system Mercury in all its forms, as well as all other Mineral and Drug Poisons.
☞ A department for ladies, which is attended by a competent lady.
The effect of POISON OAK thoroughly eradicated, quently by a Single Bath.
DYSPEPSIA is permanently CURED (not patched up) in trom six to ten weeks. Failure to cure is almost impossible.
House patients received—Ladies or Gentlemen:
☞ The Electro-Chemical Baths are NOT administered persons suffering with infectous or loathsome diseases.
CONSULTATION FREE! n12tf

COAL.
FOR SALE, IN LOTS TO SUIT PURchaeers, Anthracite, Scotch, Spiint, West Hartley, Liverpool, English Cannel, Bellingham Bay, Vancouver, &c., Wholesale and Retail, at
A. HILLER'S COAL YARD,
Corner Battery and Pine streets.
jy15.tf Successor to James Findla.

NOTICE.

THE SUBSCRIBER RESPECFULLY INFORMS HIS friends, patrons and the public generally, that he has disposed of his Coal Yard, Stock and Fixtures to Mr. A Hiller, and in retiring begs to return them his grateful acknowledgements for the liberality and confidence extended to him for a period of years, and takes pleasure in commending Mr. Hillerto th eir favorable consideration, as a gentleman worthy of their patronage and confidence.
JAMES FINDLA.

The subscriber avails himself of this occasion to inform his friends, the former patrons of Mr. Findla, and the public generally, that he has purchased of Mr James Findla his Stock and Fixtures in the Coal Yard corner of Battery and Pine streets, where he will continue the Coal business and hopes, by strict attention to his business to merit a continuance of the patronage heretofore bestowed upon Mr. Findla.
A. HILLER.

JEWELRY.

H. M. LEWIS,
WATCH MAKER,
MANUFACTURE JEWELRY,
IMPORTER OF WATCHES, JEWELRY, & DIAMONDS
Diamond and Specimen Work,
Made to Order.
CHRONOMETERS AND WATCHES REPAIRED AND WARRANTED.
189 CLAY STREET,
Third door below Kearny,
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

M. M. LEWIS,
Pioneer
WATCH & JEWELRY STORE,
No. 183 CLAY STREET.
HAS a large and desirable assortment of every description of JEWELRY, WATCHES, of the best manufacturers, QUARTZ JEWELRY and DIAMOND WORK, at most reasonable prices.
Diamond and Specimen Work manufactured to order, by skilful workmen.
No connection with any other house
Don't forget the number, 183 CLAY STREET, between Montgomery and Kearny sts., opposite Court Block.

JOHN W. TUCKER,
IMPORTER OF AND WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
WATCHES, DIAMOND,
SILVER WARE.
Jewelry and Silver Plated Ware.
QUARTZ WORK OF ALL KINDS ON HAND.
Watches repaired with care and warranted.
No. 125 Montgomery Street,
SAN FRANCISCO.
Persons in the Interior desirous of purchasing articles of Jewelry, by forwarding a description, accompanied by the cash, can obtain them, and depend on their being of the best quality, and selected with care; and there is little doubt that this mode will prove as satisfactory to the purchasers as if the articles had been selected under their own supervision. feb18-3m

BRAVERMAN & LEVY,
WATCH MAKERS.
AND
JEWELERS,
No. 167 Washington Street,
HAVE Constantly on hand a large and beautiful assortment of
FINE WATCHES,
JEWELRY,
QUARTZ WORK, ETC.
In Silver Ware,
We always keep a well selected stock of such articles as Silver Knives, Forks and Spoons;
silver candlesticks; silver cake baskets,
Silver waiters, silver castors, silver cups,
silver napkin rings, &c. &c.
Also—Silver Plated Ware, which we offer for sale at very low prices. mh6tf

SPERRY & CO.,
Manufacturers and Importers
OF
CLOCKS,
169 Montgomery st., San Francisco, Lyceum Building.
General Agents also for the **Quaker City Sewing Machines**, a new and excellent machine for all kinds of sewing, at a very low price. **Agents wanted** in California and Oregon. m26-tf

S. FREDERICK & BROTHER,
Importers
AND
Wholesale Dealers in
WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, GOLD PENS,
WATCH AND CLOCK MATERIALS,
TOOLS, ETC., ETC.
No. 171½ Washington street, up stairs, San Francisco
.....AND.....
170 Broadway, corner Maiden Lane, New York.
Have lately opened a complete assortment of the above, and offer to sell the same at 10 per cent. above New York prices. The trade are invited to call and give us a trial. Particular attention paid to orders from the country.

JOSEPH BROTHERS,
Importers and Manufacturers of
WATCHES,
Diamonds, Jewelry, Silverware,
&c., &c.,
149 Montgomery street, between Clay and Merchant.
SAN FRANCISCO.

A. KOHLER

SAN FRANCISCO
No. 178 Washington Street.
FORTY CASES MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS
Just received—such as
ACCORDEONS, FLUTINAS,
GUITARS, VIOLINS,
BRASS INSTRUMENTS.
.....ALSO.....
Tamborines, Banjoes, Fifes, Flutes, Clarionets, Picaloes, Violin Bows, Bow-Hair, Rosin, Bridges, Pegs, Tail-Pieces, Finger-Boards, Tuning-Forks, and all Kinds of Musical Instruments and Merchandise
888 ROMAN STRINGS, 4 lengths and 4 Thread,
Fresh every Two Months from Italy.
ALL of these goods will be sold very low to the trade, as they are direct importations from the manufactories of Europe, and imported in large quantities by A. KOHLER. He will sell them *Thirty per cent. cheaper than any other House in California;* therefore, it would be for the interest of all to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.
N. B.—Popular sheet music by every steamer. Toys and Fancy Goods by the case.
A. KOHLER.
178 Washington Street.
2nd STORY EXCLUSIVELY WHOLESALE
ap15

S. H. PRICHARD & BRO.,
Commission & Forwarding
MERCHANTS,
97 FRONT STREET, San Francisco—Agents for Jone's & Hudson's
Chewing Tobacco; Va. Offering to California;
El Sacramento; May Flower;
Our Jewel.
E. J. Hudson's Smoking Rose of Sharon, Sweet Scented Oronoco, and Prichard's Corn Cob.
J. Chiever's Wellington.
Britton's Virginia Dew Drop Whisky, in barrels and half barrels.
Will receive orders for Drugs, Medicines, &c., for Messrs Thomas & Fuller, New York.

Gleaner Job Office,
133 Clay Street, below Montgomery.
The Proprietor of the "Weekly Gleaner" respectfully informs his subscribers and the public that an extensive Job Printing Office, supplied with all the modern improvements in type and machinery, is now attached to this Journal.
Our country friends will please notice that orders sent to us in this department will be faithfully and correctly executed at the lowest city rates, and the finished work promptly transmitted free from Express Charges.
HEBREW, GREEK & MUSIC
Are included in the Book Fonts of this Establishment, placing it in advance of any office in the State. Comprised in its varied work may be enumerated
Posting Bills all Sizes,
BY-LAWS, PAMPHLETS,
CATALOGUES, CIRCULARS,
BILL-HEADS, PROGRAMMES,
CARDS, BRIEFS,
SHOW CARDS, FORMS (General)
GENERAL BOOK WORK,
If this branch of our business a liberal credit will be placed at the convenience of our patrons.

H. & L. SHARP,
....Dealers in....
WOOL AND FURS,
No. 65 California St., up stairs,
SAN FRANCISCO.

REMOVAL.
PULU! PULU! PULU!
THE extensive Pulu and Bedding Warehouse has been removed to
No. 104 Battery street
Between Washington and Clay streets, opposite Badger & Lindenberger.
au12-1m J SCHREIBER.

Poetry.

Passing Away.

"Passing away is written on the world, and all the world contains"

It is written on the rose,
In its glory's full array;
Read what those buds disclose—
"Passing away."

It is written on the skies
Of the soft blue summer day;
It is traced in sunset's dyes—
"Passing away."

It is written on the trees
As their young leaves glis'ning play;
And on the brighter things than these—
"Passing away."

It is written on the brow
Where the spirit's ardent ray
Lives, burns, and triumphs now—
"Passing away.',

It iswritten on the heart—
Alas! that there decay
Should claim from love a part!
"Passing away."

Friends, friends! oh! shall we meet
Where the spoiler finds no prey,
Where lovely things and sweet
Pass not away?

Shall we know each other's eyes,
With the thoughts that in them lay,
When they meet beneath the skies
Which pass away?

Oh! if this may be so,
Speed, speed thou closing day!
How blest, from earth's vain show,
To pass away.

MRS. HEMANS.

The Family.

Take Care of the Lambs.

Let parents weigh well the significance of the following exract: "A gentleman in England was walking over his farm with a friend, exhibiting his crops, herds of cattle and flocks of sheep, with all of which his friend was highly pleased, but with nothing so much as his splendid sheep. He had seen the same breed frequently before, but never had he seen such noble specimens—and with great earnestness he asked to know how he had succeeded in raising such flocks. His simple answer was: 'I take care of my lambs, sir.' Here was all the secret of his large, heavy-fleeced, fat sheep; he took care of them when they were lambs."—*Pacfic Meteodist.*

THE CHILD'S NEW YEAR'S PRAYER.

O Lord, behold here a feeble child appearing before thee, on this holy day, to thank thee for thy goodness in bringing it to the beginning of another year. O, may I spend the next year better than I did the last, so that at its end I may be so much nearer heaven. I thank thee, merciful father, for the many blessings I enjoy, and I pray thee to provide me and all belonging to me with necessary food and raiment, with health of body and of soul. Preserve my dear father and mother (brothers, sisters and friends.) May this be a happy year to us all. Send us thy blessings in its coming in and going out. Amen.

The greatest misery of any misfortune is inability to bear it patiently.

Religion.

Religion, by presenting objects ever interesting and ever new, by bestowing much, by promising more, and by dilating the heart with the expectation of a certain indefinite good, clearly ascertained though indistinctly seen, and the pledge and earnest of which is far more delightful than all that irreligious men profess, is the only effectual antidote to the ills of life. It is the final centre of repose; a goal to which all things tend, which gives to time all its importace, to eternity all its glory; apart from which man is a shadow, his very existence a riddle; and the stupendous scenes which surround him, as incoherent and unmeaning as the leaves which the sybil scattered to the wind.—*Rev. Robert Hall.*

A Sublime Thought.

We have lived in times of darkness and confusion, with only a few gleams of heavenly light to cheer us; but we are not to argue against the result. "The counsel of the Lord shall stand; and the thoughts of his heart unto all genera tions." So we have seen a gloomy morning followed by a bright and joyous day.

We have seen dark clouds gather around the morning sun, as if to extinguish his beams; and fogs condense themselves as thick to shroud the earth from his influenc; but we have seen, too, the glorious burst of his splendor, the light subduing the darkness; we have watched the progress of the heaven directed orb, till after having scattered life over the world, he has closed the day amid the homage of the same clouds, gorgeous in his splendor, and heightening his original glories with floods of molten light, and richest forms of reflected lustre.—*Rev. Richard Watson.*

Riches.

LORD BACON.

I cannot call riches better than the baggage of virtue; the Roman word is better, "impedimenta;" for as the baggage is to an army, so is riches to virtue it cannot be spared nor left behind, but it hindereth the march; yea, and the care of it sometimes loseth or disturbeth the victory; of great riches there is no real use, except it be in the distribution; the rest is but conceit; so saith Solomon, "Where much is, there are many to consume it; and what hath the owner but the sight of it with his eyes?" The personal fruition in any man cannot reach to feel great riches: there is a custody of them; or a power of dole and donative of them; or a fame of them; but no solid use to the owner Do you not see what feigned prices are set upon little stones and rarities? and what woaks of ostentation are undertaken, because there might seem to be some use of great riches? But then you might say, they may be used to buy men out of dangers or troubles; as Solomon saith, "Riches are as a strong hold in the imagination of the rich man:" but this is excellently expressed. that it is in imagination, and not always in fact: for, certainly, great riches have sold more men than they have bought out. Seek not proud riches, but such as thou mayst get justly, use soberly, distribute cheerfully, and leave contentedly; yet have no abstract or friarly contempt of them; but distinguish, as Cicero saith well of Rabirus Posthumus, "in studio rei amplificandæ aperebat, non avaritæ prædam, sed instrumentum bonitati quæri," Hearken also to Solomon, and beware of hasty gathering of riches; "Qui festinat ad divitias non erit insons."

FILIAL LOVE AND DUTY. Pomponius Atticus' the friend and correspondent of Cicero, making the funeral oration at the death of his mother, did protest, that living with her three score and seven years, he was *never reconciled unto her*; because, there never happened between them the least jar that needed reconciliation.—*Fuller.*

Look to the End.

Consider well the end of every thing you do—the end!—not the immediate results—the momentary gratification—the apparent gain or advantage for the time—but the end of all your course of conduct. Look on into the future until you clearly see it—and not imagine the consequences are to terminate in an hour, a day, a week. a month, a year, or even an age. The end—the end is far beyond, in eternity. Few, indeed, are the follies of men which meet with no retribution here—suffering comes with every vice, as its inseperable companion. But the end, I repeat, is not now—and it is the end I pray you to consider.

Passionate Temper.

The indulgence of a passionate temper, is, perhaps one of the most unhapoy of human vices; because there are but few others which so perpetually prey upon the peace and serenity of the mind. This strong, sturdy enemy to human enjoyment, in the vast majority of cases, is left to grow with our growth, and strengthen with our strength, until the ascendency is complete. It progresses in its dominion step by step—every indulgence adds to its power, and every acquisition of power increases its thirst for its indulgence. Yet it cannot be controlled and brought into perfect subjection. He who is not master of himself, no matter what else he is master of, is a slave—and whatever efforts can be adduced by the consideration of liberty, peace, and comparative exemption from a thousand dangers to which passion exposes us in life, should be made to guard ourselves in this particular. Never indulge in passion until you have considered the end.

The Power of Music.

The Biblical account of Sauls' melancholy being dispelled by the power of Music, 1 Sam. 16:23, finds a striking illustration from the following item which we opy from the "Alta:"

THE POWER OF MUSIC.—A few days ago, a man was brought into the Station House, in a state of apparent intoxication. He remained there for two days, without appearing to have become sobered. It was then discovered that the man was insane, and had once been an inmate of the Stockton Asylum, from which he was discharged as cured; but a second attack came upon him, and he was brought to the Station House. When he first came in, he sat moodily down and was quiet, bnt presently the excitement of his brain worked him up to such a pitch of frenzy, that he became quite unmanagable. It was ascertained that the inane man was a musician, and extravagantly fond of his violin. The instrument was accordingly procured and placed into his hands. The maniac received the violin, tuned it with as much exactness as Ole Bull, or Paganini could have done, and seizing the bow, drew it with a master's hand across the strings, and "discoursed most excellent music." He played some touching ballad airs, and the tears rolled down his pale, thin cheeks, and then tuning his instrument anew, he gave the stirring march of MacGregor, the Marsellaise, and our own national air, the Star Spangled Banner.—His feelings seemed to change with the varying tunes, and every muscle in his face indicated the most intensely wrought mental and physical emotion. With the high notes of the Marsellaise, his eye brightened and flashed with the fire of patriotic feeling, he clutched the bow with a firmer grasp, and his whole being seemed to thrill with the earnestness of feeling. The music soothed and calmed his wandering brain, and rested like a spell upon his shattered nerves, It was a singular instance of the power of music.

Great minds alone can sustain a sudden reverse of fortune.

NOTICE—THE COPARTNER... heretofore existing between D. J. OLIVER... P. BUKLEY, is this day dissolved by mutual ... D. J. OLIVER having purchased the interest... BUCKLEY therein, will hereafter continue the b... his own name. [Signed,]

D. J. OLIV...
J. P. BUC...

San Francisco, Sept. 19, 1859.

PAINTS, OILS, GLA...

Now landing, ex "Viking," ... HOXIE." "WITCH OF THE WA... "THERESE," large additions to my stock, ... most extensive and best assorted in the State, ... at the lowest rates by

D. J. OLIVER,
86 and 88 Washington ...
87 and 89 Oregon ...

STECKLER...

EXCHANGE,
Corner of Sansome & California ...

This new and spacious hotel, ... located, merits the attention of every ... visiting the city, as also of all those who love ... comfort, and good table.

Coaches will convey guests to and from the ...

EDWARD STECKLER, Pro...

NEW AUCTION ROOM...

CALL AT
Ashim Bro...
CALL AT
Ashim Bro...
CALL AT
Ashim Bro...
CALL AT
Ashim Bro...
CALL AT
Ashim Bro...

Auction Rooms, Co... Sacramento & L...

DRY-GOOD...

Heynemann, Pick &...

89 and 91 California ...
(*EMPIRE BLOCK*,)
IMPORTERS & JOBB...
OFFER FOR SALE,
BY THE
PIECE OR PACKAGE,

BLANKETS—RED, WHITE, BLU... GREEN;

Prints,
French and English Merinos,
Alpacas,
Castores,
Marseilles,
Carpets,
Hearth Rugs,
Crumb Cloth,
Linen Goods, of all kinds,
Window Curtains,
Damasks,
Wool Plaids,
Ginghams,
Velvets,

Hosiery,
Velvet Ribbons,
Black Oil Cloth...
Pilot and ... cloth,Fur...
Silk ...
Hats,
Shirts,
French and Engl... lin Delane,
Spool Cotton,
Farmer's ... Marsha... on,
Bunting.

And a Full Assortment of
DRY-GOOD...
FOR SALE
AT LOWEST MARKET RA...